

A SEMINARY BURNED

The Little Orphans Were Marched Out in Good Order

AND NO LIVES WERE LOST

Heavy Loss by the Flames in a Milwaukee Suburb.

A LAMP WAS CARELESSLY KNOCKED OVER

By a Pressman in a Printing Establishment and the High Winds Fanned the Flames.

Milwaukee, Wis., December 11.—A large fire is raging in the suburbs of St. Francis. The St. Amelias Orphan asylum

Close to the asylum are the chapel, the

printing office and a barn, which are built in the shape of a triangle. The fire started in the printing office at 6 o'clock. All employes had stopped work and the pressman,

over a lamp which exploded. He tried to extinguish the fire by throwing clothes on it, but the same instant the door was

The pressman rushed out of the building

fire department at St. Frances the flames ate their way to other parts of the building. In the asylum there were 192 boys,

all marched out in good order and no one was hurt.

As there was no fire apparatus a bucket brigade was formed and help asked from

this city. Engine companies 8 and 10 were ordered to the scene of the fire, but they were absolutely powerless. The building with all its contents burned to the ground

and the firemen directed their efforts to save the seminary and other adjoining buildings.

At 11:30 p. m. the fire was under control.

The fireman succeeded in preventing the flames from spreading to the seminary. The asylum is completely destroyed. The loss will amount to \$50,000 and is fully cov-

THERE'S NOTHING IN IT.

**Same Old Rumor That the Southern
Had Bought the Northeastern.**
New Orleans, December 11.—The story
that the Southern railway has purchased

the Northeastern railway and thus gained entrance into New Orleans is an old one and contains little of truth. It was said the Illinois Central is a party to the

Vicksburg, extending from Meridian
Vicksburg, and the Vicksburg, Shreveport,
and Pacific, extending from Vicksburg to
Shreveport, as their part of the deal. Thus

be dismembered. The Southern already controls the Cincinnati Southern and the Alabama Great Southern, which makes Meridian their southern terminus. If they

be a valuable addition to their property. The Mobile and Ohio hold an option on the Northeastern, however, and they are not likely to part with it. The Queen and

Crescent would sell their three roads if they could get a good price, but the sale of the Northeastern alone would depreciate the value of their other roads, hence the story sent out recently that the Southern

has bought the Northeastern may be set down as the mere repetition of an old rumor. Meanwhile the Northeastern is making arrangements to utilize the Spanish Fort road which they own, and by this

means they will land their passengers on Canal street.

FRIENDLY TO BOTH.

Clyde Officials Say That the Company Will Back the Southern.
Baltimore, December 11.—Representatives

report that the company contemplates backing up the Southern railway in operating a line of steamers between Baltimore and Norfolk or that it contemplated discon-

Philadelphia and Richmond, Va., via the James' river. The company's representatives state it has no interest whatever in either the Southern railway or its compet-

BAD DAY FOR SHOOTING.

**The President Did Not Kill Anything
but Time Yesterday.**
Norfolk, Va., December 11.—The storm
which settled over Hatteras yesterday

was abated and tonight the wind is only blowing at the rate of ten miles an hour. The Violet successfully weathered the gale, but the president's party has done no shooting today. There is every indication

that tomorrow will be an ideal day for duck shooting. The plans of the president have been somewhat changed, he having decided not to leave Hatteras until Friday, arriving in Norfolk Sunday and reaching Washington Monday.

Mrs. Colt's Petition Dismissed.
Providence, R. I., December 11.—The Col

Ripley, Mrs. Colt's counsel, appeared before Judge Stines in the appellate division of the supreme court, and moved for the dismissal of the lady's petition for divorce.

In seconding the motion Mr. Colwell, attorney for Colonel Colt, read a letter from his client in which he said that, despite the statements of some newspapers, his suit against Mr. Van Allen did not concern

upon Mrs. Colt's conduct in any way. The motion for discontinuance was then granted. The attorneys in the case said the affair was now all over and there was nothing more to be said.

To Reduce Production.
Texarkana, Ark., December 11.—One of the largest and most important

meetings of the year took place here yesterday. The yellow pine industry of the states of Missouri, Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana was represented. It was decided to curtail production one third by...

only four days a week. The capacity affected is 5,000,000 feet per day or 1,500,000,000 feet a year.

Steamers Collide

Liverpool, December 11.—The White Star Line steamer Germanic, Captain McKinsley, for New York, came into collision shortly after leaving the Mersey with the Glasgow steamer Cambria, owned by the

for Liverpool. The Cumbræ was sunk and the Germanic's bows were stove. There was no loss of life. The Germanic rescued the passengers and crew and returned to this port. A dense fog prevailed.

ARE AT PEACE NOW

Commissioner Dunlap Denies That He Made Certain Remarks

ABOUT MACON'S RECORDER

Ill Feeling Between the Officers No More—Appointment of a Justice. Other News of Macon.

Macon, Ga., December 11.—(Special.)—The breach between Judge Freeman, city recorder, and the chairman of the police commission, Mr. Dunlap, was patched up this morning by Captain Dunlap denying that he made the disrespectful remarks about the recorder attributed to him by Commissioner Henderson, and Judge Freeman withdrawing his remarks made at the council meeting last night.

Mr. Henderson now has the bag to hold. He admits that he misquoted Captain Dunlap to Judge Freeman and admits he said what the recorder based his caustic remarks on. Judge Freeman announces that he is satisfied, and the matter now rests between Commissioners Dunlap and Henderson on a question of veracity. It is not believed that the matter will be carried any further, as all the parties concerned held a conference this morning that is said to have been perfectly free from harsh words.

The Grand Jury. The grand jury this morning turned in their presentments to the superior court. They are of very little interest except that part of them containing the appointment of the road commission to take the place of those members of the board whose terms expire on January 1st. Those appointed are as follows:

Rutland District—P. W. Stubbs and L. B. Calhoun.
Vineville District—N. B. Corbin.
Howard District—C. W. Howard.
Hazard District—N. A. Powers.
Warrior District—W. L. Payne.
Upper City—E. R. Price and George F. Wing.

East Macon—B. L. Jones, W. S. Lowe and C. E. Demore.
It develops since the appointment of the commissioners that it is probably illegal. According to the construction some authorities put on the law, the duty of the grand jury sitting after January of each year to elect members to fill vacancies on the board. If this is the case all of the present members of the road commission are illegally elected if their election took place prior to January 1st of any year. Judge Hardeman will inquire into the matter.

Athenaeum Meeting. The December meeting of the Athenaeum will be held at the residence of Mr. Campbell T. King, on College street, on Friday evening, December 13th, at 8 o'clock. The subject of the meeting will be the continued discussion of "The Modern Evolution of Woman." Papers will be read by Mr. Clem P. Steed, Mr. Harry Stillwell Edwards, Miss Bessie Rodgers and Miss Sallie Boone. There will be instrumental music by Mrs. King and Miss Shinholtz, and reading by Miss Anna Smith, and vocal selections by Mrs. L. T. Stallings and Mrs. Mary B. Schofield.

Dorsett Appointed. Mr. M. E. Dorsett, upon recommendation of the grand jury, was today appointed by Judge Hardeman justice of the peace of the 18th district to succeed Justice Holmes, removed. He will probably accept the appointment and retire from the race for corner.

County Taxes. The following statement of the county tax digest was presented:
Amount on tax digest, \$19,886.62; polls, \$2,981; professional fees, \$1,200; total amount of taxes returned \$16,688.93. The polls are shown as follows: White, 5,681; colored, 4,288.

The jury complains that the returns are too small, and urges that greater diligence be used in collecting the same.

The grand jury reported favorably on the condition of the Roff home.

News Notes. The Macon football team will play a series of games during Christmas week. The team will go to Jacksonville, St. Augustine and Thomasville.

The King's Daughters will give a musical and literary entertainment in Steinway hall on next Friday evening.

The students of Mercer university will celebrate Founders' day on Monday night. Messrs. Perry and Thompson will make speeches.

The approaching marriage of Mr. A. P. Wolfe to Miss Annie Hest is announced. Bishop Granbury preached in the Mulberry street church tonight to a large congregation. He leaves tomorrow to hold the Florida conference, having just adjourned the South Georgia conference.

The total number of citizens who have joined the Half-Dollar Club is 223. Mr. Bridges Smith's plan is working splendidly. He hopes to get 1,000 members by Christmas.

Will Not Amalgamate. The joint committee from the Chamber of Commerce and Young Men's Business League met this evening and decided not to amalgamate the two organizations. It is thought best for the business interests of the city to allow them to remain separate and work in concert on all matters of concern with business men of Macon.

Feared Lynching. Jackson, Miss., December 11.—(Special.)—Arnold Mitchell, a Madison county negro, who murdered a white man, was brought to the penitentiary today by Sheriff Kemp, who feared a mob. Willis will die.

Women do many things that get them all out of order. Careless dressing, exposure to draughts, over-exertion—these and many others start the trouble. A slight cold may run into the most serious complications. Perhaps none of these things would amount to much if only care were exercised to remedy them at once. Neglect is a most prolific cause of serious female troubles. By and by, the trouble is so much aggravated that the physician's skill is needed and then the dread of the examinations so much in vogue at present, deride the sufferer still longer.

As a matter of fact, examinations and "local treatment" should not be submitted to till everything else has failed. Nine times in ten, they are wholly unnecessary. Women were cured before these obnoxious methods came into practice. For over 30 years, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been successfully prescribed for all derangements of the womanly organism. It is remarkable for its effect on the whole system. It makes the blood pure, makes digestion better, helps stomach, kidneys and bowels and is wonderful in its effects on the generative organs. It immediately begins to allay the inflammation and stops the debilitating drain that is always the parent. As the inflammation ceases and the pain stops, the nerves are quieted and the increased bodily strength does the rest.

All suffering women should send for the 66 page book "Women and Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription." It will be sent free in plain sealed package on receipt of ten cents to partly cover postage by Western Dispensary, MAJORCA, ASTORIA, No. 65 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

HAS HIS FREEDOM

Alexander's Committal Trial Was Held at Athens Yesterday.

NO PROSECUTOR APPEARED

The Prisoner Was Released and Is Now Putting Distance Between Himself and Phillyau.

Athens, Ga., December 11.—(Special.)—John T. Alexander, the Mississippi man who ran away with Mrs. J. D. Phillyau, was given his committal trial this morning by Judge J. F. Foster. Phillyau didn't appear to prosecute the charge of adultery against Alexander, and Judge Foster dismissed the case.

Sheriff Wier then turned him loose, as the telegrams instructing him to hold Alexander were signed by private parties and no requisition papers had yet reached Governor Atkinson, although the telegram stated they had been sent from Mississippi last Sunday.

Alexander was a happy man when he got out of jail. He said he was sorry for what he had done and would never get into trouble again. Is he going back to Mississippi? Well, not much of it. He is not believed that the matter will be carried any further, as all the parties concerned held a conference this morning that is said to have been perfectly free from harsh words.

That Council Investigation. That investigation by a committee of council members of the charges against Alexander was originally Aldermen Yancey, Methvin and Carithers. Aldermen Yancey had to go to Atlanta and moved to substitute Mayor O'Farrell on the committee.

That raised objection and on the motion the years Yancey, Carithers and Methvin, and the nays were Rhodes, Arnold and Cheney. That tied the vote and needed the mayor passing upon the question of putting himself on the committee, and after some discussion had taken place, he said: "I'll sit on the committee in justice to myself and this council."

The committee has announced a meeting for tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the council chamber and summoned the parties interested to be present. It does not seem just now as if they will be present.

In fact it is stated on authority on the streets that the two aldermen involved will refuse to submit to an investigation by the committee, but will demand a full and complete investigation by the entire council and also demand that the meeting be public and that the taxpayers of Athens be urged to be present on that occasion.

This matter has caused a great deal of comment on the part of the people, who express various opinions concerning it. It is believed that many who are in possession of the facts of the case that a great deal of unnecessary fuss has been made about this matter and that while the existing state of affairs are not the most desirable that the whole matter is more of a private than a municipal nature and that whatever error has been committed the taxpayers have lost nothing thereby. The public opinion in the neighborhood is such, however, as to demand a full investigation of the affair, which will be done in one way or the other.

Examining the Shoals. Mr. J. P. McPherson, of Erie, Pa., an experienced contractor, is in the city. He comes at the instance of a party of Pennsylvania gentlemen who are desirous of establishing a big cotton mill in this section of the state. The purpose of examining the shoals in the river.

Making a Start. The Athens city hospital is about ready to start. Treasurer McMahon has been busy for several days making the necessary purchases for the equipment of the hospital. Quite a number of necessary articles have been contributed by generous citizens. The hospital will be ready to receive patients in a few days and the medical staff is in readiness to discharge all its duties.

A Wedding of Interest. Invitations are out to the wedding of Dr. J. H. Taylor, assistant professor of chemistry in the University of Georgia, to Miss Sophie Schaller, an accomplished young lady of this city. The wedding will be of great interest, as they have scores of friends in the city. The ceremony will take place at 1:30 o'clock, Monday afternoon, December 23d, at Emmanuel Episcopal church.

News Notes. Friday evening at the Sney-Stovall chapel, the Shakespearean class of Lucy Cobb institute will debate the question as to whether the Negro should be admitted to the white man's social life. Later on the scientific class will give an entertainment.

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A Big Fertilizer Factory. A company has been formed consisting of Messrs. E. T. McChesie, J. N. McChesie, J. W. Rountree, of Gadsden, Ga., and others, for the manufacture of guano and commercial fertilizers of all sorts in Rome.

The charter has been applied for and includes a brokerage and general commission business, the company to be chartered with the usual powers of such corporations.

The capital stock is to be \$10,000 in shares of \$100, and 50 per cent has been paid in by the subscribers. The gentlemen who will be in the entire control are among the wealthiest citizens of Rome, and will begin at once when the charter is secured to build two fertilizer factories here, the other being a branch of the Georgia Fertilizer Company.

Happy Married. Tonight at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Morris, their daughter, Miss Lucy Naomi, was united in marriage to Rev. George LeRoy Millican, of Gadsden, Ala., a prominent member of the north Alabama Methodist conference. Rev. C. V. Weather, recently transferred from the Second Methodist church to Buford, was sent for and conducted the service.

Knights of Pythias Reunion. Mount Alto lodge, Knights of Pythias, has sent out invitations to a general reunion and banquet at the Armstrong Monday night. Quite a number of leading Pythians from different parts of the state will be present, and the affair will be quite an event in Fraternity circles.

Death of Mrs. Radford. Early yesterday morning occurred the death of Mrs. Dora Radford, wife of Mr. W. B. Radford, who lives at 17 Ocmulgee street. She was thirty-eight years of age and had been married for several years. Her remains were shipped to Tusculum, Ala., her old home, last night.

Georgia Elections. Quiet time at Elberton—A Primary in Talbot County.

Elberton, Ga., December 11.—The municipal election today was the quietest and best held in the history of the city. The board of aldermen, and they were re-elected, to-wit: Hon. T. O. Taber, mayor; Captain P. M. Hayes, W. C. Pressley, H. J. Brewer, D. H. Brown and B. B. Braswell. Councilmen: Quite a small vote was polled.

In the democratic primary for ordinary, in Talbot county yesterday, John S. Persons was nominated. The election occurs next Monday.

REJOICING AT ROME

Over the Progress of the Work on Its New Cotton Mill.

THE OFFER OF MR. WHALEY

To Take a Big Block of Stock Conditionally—Several Other New Manufactories Contemplated.

Rome, Ga., December 11.—(Special.)—Quite a ripple was caused in commercial circles this morning by the offer of Mr. W. B. Smith Whaley to take \$400,000 additional capital stock in the Traction mills provided that the stockholders would increase the stock to an even million. He was wired Monday to come at once to look over the ground, being employed by the Messrs. Trainer, of Chester Pa., who are the leading spirits in the new venture. He arrived yesterday and went out to the Rounsaville property, where the mills are to be located. He comes from Columbia, S. C., and is a skilled architect and will have the supervision of the buildings.

"It is one of the finest mill sites I ever saw," he said in the presence of a party of gentlemen this morning, "and if they will increase the stock to one million I will take care of the additional \$400,000. Instead of a 20,000 spindle mill there they ought to build a mill of 100,000 spindles. I never saw a finer place for a mill, and I think that the prospects are exceedingly bright."

He was enthusiastic over the matter, and it is altogether probable that the capital stock of \$500,000, which has been already raised will be increased and that this mill will eclipse in extent and cost of investment the big Massachusetts mills now nearly completed.

Romans Jubilant. The people of Rome were already feeling good but this proposition made them jubilant and there seems to be little doubt that the plans for the Pennsylvania mills when drawn will eclipse anything heretofore located in the state by outside capital. The people of Rome are largely interested in the new mills and will, of course, offer every encouragement to assist in augmenting the extent of its operations.

Large Additions Contemplated. In discussing the present mills being completed by the Massachusetts company the gentleman in charge of the work gave an idea of the extent of the additions contemplated so soon as the original plant is completed.

A small army of workmen is employed on the work now and it is hoped that the building will be completed and ready for operation by the 1st of February.

The machinery is being put in place as rapidly as possible in the new mill. If everything moves smoothly work will begin at once on three other buildings, and instead of increasing the capacity half it will be doubled. The new mill is a part of a million and a half will be put in the plant, including the buildings already going up.

The company has plenty of room and the intention is to locate there in a group on either side of Silver creek, connecting them with overhead bridges to facilitate intercommunication.

These plans will be carried out during the coming year, if nothing happens to discourage the projectors, and the Lincaine mills will then constitute the largest cotton milling establishment in the south. The company is made up of millionaires many times over and they ask no contributions from outside parties.

Another Big Enterprise. Captain John Shaw and his associates have about worked up the preliminaries for the location of another enterprise that will be right in the city.

It is a tannery and shoe and harness factory on a large scale. He has long had the project in mind and will proceed at once to secure the location, if nothing happens to discourage him. The establishment will employ 200 hands, and will add largely to the industrial wealth of Rome.

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BRIDGE IS IN SIGHT

The Bridge Committee Is Now Ready for Work on Jones Avenue.

THE RAILWAYS HEARD FROM

The Race for Member of the Board of Water Commissioners Is Getting Warm.

The bridge committee met yesterday afternoon with Mr. Bell chairman, and Mr. Welch, of the second, and Mr. Welch, of the fifth, present.

A letter from the legal department of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway, touching the proposed bridge on Jones avenue, over the tracks, was in Mr. Bell's hands when he called the meeting to order and it was the letter which induced the call of the meeting.

The letter informed Mr. Bell that there were legal obstacles or objections to the construction of a new bridge on the avenue, and that the plans, as far as known, were acceptable. A paragraph in the letter expressed a desire for permission for the chief engineer of the road to make a more thorough study of the plans. It has been known for quite awhile, in fact since the engineer of the road first investigated the plans, that some changes would be required when work actually began. The new bridge will be as fine and substantial a structure as the one on Broad street, and since the plans have been drawn it has been ascertained that the bridge will span the chasm. There will be something like ten feet difference in the lengths of the two bridges. It has been ascertained that the bridge will be as fine and substantial as the one on Broad street, and since the plans have been drawn it has been ascertained that the bridge will span the chasm. 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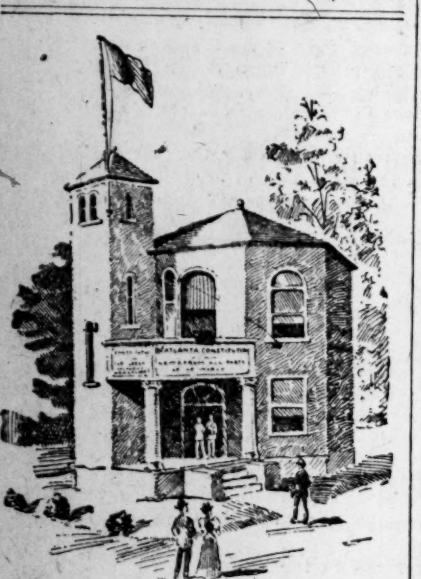
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Welcome to Tennessee.

This will be Tennessee Day at the exposition grounds.

Heretofore it has been the pleasure of Atlanta to greet many states. In Illinois we clasped the hand that gave us the early goodspeed upon the venture which is now in progress. From Pennsylvania came the descendants of those who stood closest around Independence Hall and whose precious charge it was to have in their possession the immortal Liberty Bell. From New York we clasped the hand of those with whom we have had pleasant business relations, who have been friendly with us in adversity and rejoiced with us in prosperity. Even far off Massachusetts, with her often-opposing sentiments and policies, came down to greet this youngest of the thirteen colonies. The states about us also came and were variously welcomed. In Maryland and Kentucky we greeted those who in the midst of war and devastation sought hard to join their fates with ours, and in South Carolina we recognize the older sister who watched over the fate of our early colony until it was able to stand upon its own feet.

But now in the coming of Tennessee there is something that appeals peculiarly to Atlanta. Run over the names of those who have made Atlanta what it is—of those who thirty-five or forty years ago cast their lot with us and have built up this magic city. Who but remember the kindly face of Campbell Wallace and feels proud that at so

early a day Tennessee took the leading part in giving character to this young city? Even in the day in which we live the man who has saved the exposition, whose name ever finds praise upon Atlanta tongues, Mr. S. M. Inman, is a present to us from Tennessee. The judge of our federal court, a great number of bankers and lawyers and merchants are from Tennessee. It is to their grit, to their doggedness, to their never-ending zeal, to their ignorance of the meaning of the word defeat, that Atlanta owes much of her triumph over adversity, and her success in enterprises that otherwise might have met with defeat.

The warmth of the welcome, therefore, which goes out to Tennessee today springs from the fact that leading among those who give it are many who first saw the light in the Volunteer State and who have not forgotten in the land of their adoption the sterling qualities, the rugged integrity and the genuine manhood of the state which gave Jackson, and Polk, and Johnson to the presidency of the United States.

Tennessee is at home in Georgia today—she is at home in Atlanta, and her sons need ask no admittance, for the latch string hangs on the outside of every door.

The People Are With Crisp.

The conspiracy in certain circles against the further existence of the democratic party having succeeded in almost wrecking the party, the conspirators are now engaged in stabbing the democratic leaders in the national house of representatives.

One would have supposed that, after these wreckers had passed through the crash of 1894 in which they lost both houses of congress and played into the hands of Shermanism generally, they would at least in the hour of defeat have the grace to retire and let the leaders of democracy have an opportunity to rebuild the party. The occasion for this fresh attack, for this assassin-like stab in the back, was the opening debate the other day in which Speaker Crisp found it necessary to rebuke the republican onslaughts upon the course of United States Minister Bayard in England. Ex-Speaker Crisp, in a spirited appeal, repelled the accusations made against the United States ambassador, and in doing so had to answer questions interjected about his record on the financial issue. The administration press, moreover, and in a renewed activity in business and in outside inquiry from the centers that control capital as to the advantages offered for investment in Georgia enterprises.

Such gloating as this may satisfy men who are in the ranks only to be wreckers and for the purpose of doing greater damage than if they had the manhood to go over to the republican side of the question at once. The people, however, are awake to the emergency, and they very well understand the purpose of such so-called democracy who stab democratic leaders for standing true to democratic principles while they themselves are lashed with praise from republican sources alone. If it is true that a man may be known by his association, this test applied to certain so-called democrats would indicate that they are more republican than democratic.

Influence of the Exposition.

In an article on the work of the exposition an exchange calls attention to its widespread influence in the present development of the resources of the state. This influence is demonstrated in renewed activity in business and in outside inquiry from the centers that control capital as to the advantages offered for investment in Georgia enterprises.

Thus it is, the exposition has already accomplished much for Georgia and the entire south, and will accomplish more in future than all other agencies combined. This result was foreseen in its conception, for it follows naturally that when the attention of the people of an entire country—to say nothing of our foreign neighbors—is centered on one state, and that state the repository of the wealth and industry of the whole south, material benefits must ensue. The exposition has received the unequalled endorsement of the people of all sections, and these people have been induced by what they saw there to extend their southern tours and to personally investigate the business and enterprises of southern towns. And such investigation always results favorably.

Though Georgia could have made a much better showing than she has, still her exhibit before the nations has been such as to reflect credit on her and elicit general admiration, and there can be no doubt that the good work of the exposition and international exposition will be felt in our industrial growth for many years to come. And what is said of Georgia can also be said of the other states of the south.

The exposition influence is abroad in the land, and it is destined to be a prime factor in the upbuilding of the entire south.

Light in Dark Places.

The Daily Financial News, of New York, has evidently had light on a subject which has heretofore been dark in that neighborhood, since it seems willing to declare that Mr. Cleveland, in his recent message, displays an ignorance of financial history that is as profound as it is deplorable.

It will be remembered that Mr. Cleveland said in his message that "no government, no human contrivance or act of legislation, has ever been able to hold the two metals together in free coinage at a ratio appreciably different from that which is established in the markets of the world."

Commenting on this The Financial News says that "almost any schoolboy in the higher division could tell Mr. Cleveland that France held the two metals together in free coinage at the ratio of 154 to 1 from 1803 to 1873 in spite of the fact that the established markets of the world, as regulated in

London, had been in free operation the greater part of this time."

This is true enough, but we are afraid that The Financial News does not see the point. Mr. Cleveland takes the effect of bimetalism and tries to turn it into an argument against bimetalism. The ratio established by France established the market price. The only market for silver in Europe during a period of nearly eighty years was at the mint, and it was at the ratio of 154 to 1. The ratio first established by the United States—15 to 1—sent our gold to the French mints. The ratio established in 1834—16 to 1—sent our silver to the French mints; but during all that period of gold discoveries and the discarding of gold by Germany, the market price of the two metals was not appreciably different from the ratio of 154 to 1, because the mints were the markets and the ratio they had established made the market price.

These facts are so elemental in their nature and have been so long established by experience and so candidly acknowledged, even by all intelligent monometallists, that we are surprised that Mr. Cleveland should not have an inkling of them.

And yet there is nothing surprising about it. The rich men of the east—the great bankers and money lenders—as well as the men he has gathered around him in his cabinet, have been burning incense before him so industriously that he no doubt believes their financial views, based on selfishness in one case and on ignorance in the other, are entirely correct. He is probably sincere in thinking that the financial system established by England to fit the greed of its plutocrats and shysters is the best thing for the American people.

There is also light in another place where darkness has heretofore prevailed. In one of their circulars the Financial Information Company, of Boston, quote what The New York Financial News says and indorse it. They say that "while Mr. Cleveland has been growing in girth, if not in wisdom and mental stature, the American people, taught by adversity and in many points of the west and southwest by very real sufferings, have been learning the principles of finance." And to this statement it adds:

Some two years ago the Hon. Thomas B. Reed said to a reporter in London that he had learned that the silver question and the policy of protection should be treated together. In view of the intimation the country has received recently from San Francisco that silver-using Japan was about to begin to buy the exclusive contract of the market with her cheap manufactures, and in view of the fact that the products of Japanese and Indian mills have seriously diminished the takings of British manufactures by the oriental world—Lancashire yarn for example—our section of the United States will be soon forced to take cognizance of international industries and of the fact that Mr. Reed has not been too long aware and which it is fashionable for New England to still ignore.

Reed is for an old maid to turn her eyes occasionally away from the cat and the chimney corner. It will be wise when the northeastern portion of our country turns its mind from the exclusive contentment of what will please the British money lending class—the only international influence it recognizes—and considers the influence of the silver question on the welfare of the masses in the true sense of the capitalist few. When the people are prosperous bankers thrive best.

These symptoms of light in dark places show very clearly that the silver question is taking hold on the public mind in a quarter that has been thought to be under the absolute dominion of the shysters and plutocrats who desire the dollars in which they deal to constantly increase in value.

A Good Record.

The adjournment of the Georgia legislature last night marks the closing of a body which was distinguished for its fidelity to principle and zeal in the promotion of the interests of the state.

Assembling as this body did in the early days of a great national democratic triumph its position was beset with pitfalls. In the election of a United States senator it was called upon to perform a duty under circumstances which might have tried the best of men. The representatives of an ardently democratic state, with memories of republicanism so recent that they could almost feel the pulse of the nation, were called upon to elect a senator who would be supposed that they would follow the course marked out by the national administration no matter where he led.

When this legislature assembled its members found the president elected by democratic votes trailing along in the paths of John Sherman, and paying more attention to the huzzas of republican splinters than to the expressed desires of those whose votes placed him where he was. In his hands was a patronage large enough to appall the boldest of men, and gathered around him were those whose counsel and wishes he was bound to follow. It was to the glory and to the credit of the Georgia legislature just adjourned that it failed to be wheeled from the path of duty by the blandishments of placeholders or the seductive power of patronage. By a vote which showed the strength of democratic sentiment under the severest of tests the Georgia legislature elected to the senate one who was to stand for the people as against the gold influences of Europe and of Wall Street.

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The Colleton Affair.

A publication of a card by the friends of the four men charged with lynching three negroes in Colleton, South Carolina, is a new development in lynching affairs. The card is explanatory, and that is hopeful, since it shows that public sentiment in that section is far from being in sympathy with crimes of that character.

It is not often that an explanation is deemed necessary by those who take the law in their hands. On the other hand it is not often that men who take upon themselves the administration of

the law vent their passion on those who are accused of petty crimes.

On this account the Colleton affair is peculiar, and we are pleased to see that Governor Evans proposes to make a special effort to bring the facts to light. It is a matter that affects a great many more people than the poor negroes who are dead or the men who are charged with the murders. Justice is affected. The law has been wounded. The remedy is to apply the wounded law to the men who may be found guilty of murdering the poor negroes.

Our opinion that the northern negroes would do well to employ some wise man to speak for them in all matters where they are called on to speak.

The northeastern manufacturers will soon begin to discover that gold monometallism does not exhaust its deadly poison on the agricultural interests of the country.

The militia captain in Ohio who ordered a private to be shot should join a Cuban filibustering party.

Two prize fighters have been put in jail for assaulting an editor. This shows the power of the press.

Let us not forget that the tin horn comes with Christmas.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

At the instance of George W. Porteous, of Chicago, Delancey Nicol filed papers in New York on Saturday in a suit against British-American, editor and publisher of The Commercial Appeal, charging him with libel and claiming \$50,000 damages for his client. Mr. Porteous is the American agent of the American system of measurement for the detection of criminals. The libel arose from a series of photographs of an alleged noted criminal, British-American, with an article on the methods of detecting criminals, written by A. F. B. Crofton. Mr. Porteous says that he had six photographs of himself taken six years ago, when he took up the business of the only set of them which passed out of his possession was the one he gave to his friend, Major MacLaughrey, of the Pontiac reform school, in Illinois. Crofton, he alleges, was a convict there and obtained the pictures from Warden MacLaughrey for the use of his article. Mr. Porteous says that his consent to the publication of the pictures was gained. He alleges that he has been greatly troubled by the affair and says that he may at any time be taken to police headquarters for the pictures. He says he is a young lady, the pretty daughter of a rich parent, is the latest offering of Anthony Comstock, of New York, is after the author of a book of stories and poems, and has begun to invent the American market with her cheap manufactures, and in view of the fact that the products of Japanese and Indian mills have seriously diminished the takings of British manufactures by the oriental world—Lancashire yarn for example—our section of the United States will be soon forced to take cognizance of international industries and of the fact that Mr. Reed has not been too long aware and which it is fashionable for New England to still ignore.

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WITH GEORGIA EDITORS.

The Rome Tribune surpassed all former achievements in its recent trade edition, which consisted of thirty bright illustrated pages. It was the largest newspaper ever issued from the Hill City, and speaks wonders for the growth and enterprise of Rome. The Tribune is a grand old fellow, and they know the needs of a community in the newspaper line. The present Rome Tribune is doing more for the growth of its city than the development of north Georgia than any other factor, and the people will do well to indorse its work by hearty appreciation and unstinted patronage.

The Gwinnett Herald asks this question.

"Does the democratic platform call for the retirement of the greenbacks or does it demand the repeal of the unlawful law on state banks? In other words, does the platform favor a contraction of the currency, or does it favor the development of the business of the great country? Will some of the goldbugs rise up in meeting and answer?"

Where the Christmas poet of The American Times-Reformer has written: "When you are going, my pretty maid, 'To my Christmas shopping, pa,' she said. For we must have a greater influx of gold, And thought of the coming buy and buy."

A Schley county boy went into the office of The American Times-Reformer the other day and plunked down \$1.50 in silver. He said he owed five years' subscription. He got the money, and he said he would be caught, and said he would come in next April, when the five years were out, and pay the 50 cents remaining.

Says The LaGrange Graphic: "Our advice to the fellow who would buzz his of his city and silver buzz saw is to 'lean away back.'"

WITH GEORGIA EDITORS.

Editor Perry, of The Cherokee Advance, sings:

"The man who cheats the printer Out of one single cent Will read the heavenly land Where old Elijah went."

"He'll never gain admittance there, But he by demons driven: But he to leave his home about Outside the gates of heaven."

"He'll never meet a pleasant face Nor see one festive grin: His only chance of happiness Will be almighty Him."

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The Greatest Newspaper.

From The Lumpkin, Ga., Independent. Stewart county will come nearly approaching the banner county on hog and pork raising. The county has a large quantity of pork has been saved, and the daily addition is immense. On Wednesday the county was visited by a holder loaded with six porkers that netted nearly 1500 pounds. This is only one instance out of hundreds that come within our knowledge.

JUST FROM GEORGIA.

A Country Christmas.

From Leslie's Weekly.
Hear the fiddles hummin'—
Holly hangin' high;
(Known it was a-comin'—
Forth of last July—
Christmas!) How the fire
Blazes—red an' blue!
Take your place, Maria!
(Who's been kissin' you?)
It's Christmas in the country,
And Christmas in the sky;
Mistletoe is temptin'!
An' the holly hangin' high!

Bar-Joe—diddle playin':
Almost shake the shed!
(Oho, what's Dick been sayin',
Makes your cheeks so red?)
Now the dances rally—
Liveliest set in town!
Trip it light, Miss Sally!
Come in, Betsey Brown!

For it's Christmas in the country,
An' there's kissin' on the sly;
Mistletoe is temptin'!
An' the holly's hangin' high.

Musie's golly steady:
Now the fiddlers call:
Ladies! are you ready?
Swing your partners all!
Lively now! Miss Molly—
Come in with the girls!
(Dick's been kissin' Polly—
Rumpled all her curls!)

For it's Christmas in the country—
Music in your feet;
An' the mistletoe is temptin',
An' kissin' mighty sweet!

Now the dancin's over—
Fiddlers stop an' fuss;
Talk 'bout fiddlin' in clover—
Take a look at us!
Hick'rynutts a-crackin'—
Eggnog—apple pie;
Pretty lips a-smackin'—
Heaven on the sly!

For it's Christmas in the country
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—Frank L. Stanton.

He Dined "On Publication."

Twelve hungry children thronged around him in his garret, with Christmas cries of "Turkey—Turkey! Oh, father! will turkey come this year?"

"Hush, my darlings!" cried the Living Skeleton, "it is coming—I know it! I will have a check this Christmas surely, and we shall eat and hunger no more! Be patient—only be patient yet a little while. It will come—it will come!"

(Seven years before he had written a Christmas poem for a leading magazine that pays on publication!)

Happy Times.

Let wild winds blow with storm and snow—
It's "Happy times in Georgia!"
In music still the rivers flow—
It's "Happy times in Georgia!"

Happy times,
With songs and chimes
And jingling dimes
In Georgia!

The fiddles sing, the oak logs blaze—
It's "Happy times in Georgia!"
With merry nights and echoing days—
It's "Happy times in Georgia!"

Happy times,
And ringing rhymes,
And silver dimes
In Georgia!

Colonel A. Toxon Worm, who is here as the representative of one of Atlanta's favorite actors, Mr. James O'Neill, was originally in the newspaper business and is well known to the "boys" everywhere. Some of the best newspaper work of the old days, the rounds, and it frequently confronts him in the columns of the press of the numerous towns he visits. It is good verse, too, and shows up well in the scrapbooks of the country.

TALK OF GEORGIA TOWNS.

A New Georgia Town.

From The Augusta, Ga., Chronicle.
Few people who have not visited Fitzgerald, says The Telegraph, have any idea of the work of improvement that is going on. "Our new neighbors are a genial, hearty and energetic set, and the influence will be felt before long throughout this section." The success of this colony will be a greater influence on the state of Georgia, and our people should lose no opportunity to plant the next colony in this section of the state.

Increased Yield of Cotton.

From The Gwinnett, Ga., Herald.
The cotton factor who has made his appearance on our streets for the last two weeks astonishes the natives. We thought the cotton had been sold except the stained bales that were picked out late. But this is a mistake; there is a considerable amount yet in the country. The fall has been so favorable that the last boll has opened and the cotton has been picked out and carried to the gin. We do not believe that we overstate the facts when we say that the cotton fall has increased the yield 20 per cent.

Ahead on Hogs.

From The Lumpkin, Ga., Independent.
Stewart county will come nearly approaching the banner county on hog and pork raising. The county has a large quantity of pork has been saved, and the daily addition is immense. On Wednesday the county was visited by a holder loaded with six porkers that netted nearly 1500 pounds. This is only one instance out of hundreds that come within our knowledge.

Sensible Farmers.

From The Stewart County, Ga., Hopper.
Nearly every farmer in this section of the county is raising his own meat. The western smokehouse isn't in it worth a cent.

THE MESSAGE IN GEORGIA.

Albany Herald: While all those who blindly worship at the shrine of Cleveland approve, just as might have been expected, the president's message to the fifty-fourth congress, in general terms, we are not so ready to endorse a single newspaper article in which the Cleveland plan of retiring the greenbacks and treasury notes is commended.

The State has committed themselves to such a plan before the message appeared, but they were probably acting under instruction. And in his next speech in Georgia it may be expected that Secretary Sherman will also indorse the presidential plan, just as he has all others emanating from the same source during the last two years, but public man or newspaper whose criticism or opinion of the message we have seen indorses it. Upon the contrary, we have freely expressed the opinion that the plan is unwise and without a redeeming feature to commend it to the favor of the common people.

Gwinnett Herald: As was expected, the president advocated the single gold standard. His position on this subject is well understood and we have no doubt he is honest in his convictions. But unfortunately he has drunk at the Wall street fountain and imbibed the theories of the powers that rule there.

LaGrange Graphic: Was it the purpose of the president to destroy the democratic party or carry it into the republican camp? We are not sure, but we think it is a fair question to ask.

All in Love with Her.

From The Monroe, Ga., Advertiser.
Atlanta is a big flirt. All of the northern and northeastern cities are in love with her.

place in his cabinet and adopting John Sherman's financial policy? Will you follow Grover or remain with the faithful democracy?

Brunswick Times: The trepidation with which the president anticipates the inter-medial steps of his financial policy is not encouraging, even to his most ardent followers. That a country with the resounding force of the Cleveland administration at its head, with its unbounded success of protection, with its numerous elements of energy, and with its enthusiasm of confidence and ambition, should be brought to a complete drag of enterprise in order to encourage the possibility of some financial theory, is a thing that is a bit galling to American pride.

Danielsville Monitor: Cleveland's recommendations as to the retirement of the greenbacks is being received as a huge joke by the people generally. Surely the president doesn't mean it when he asks congress to remedy for our existing depressed condition of business and financial trouble.

Covington Star: Taken as a whole, the message is nothing more than a mere statement of the business affairs of the government, with but few recommendations as to remedies for our existing depressed condition of business and financial trouble.

STATE PRESS PERSONALS.

CRISP—Judge Crisp gave his views in a speech to the Georgia legislature, which is indorsed by the entire press of the state. Even those who oppose his views pronounce it the strongest argument in favor of silver ever produced, and admit that although they cannot agree with him upon the silver question, many will support him in the race for the senate on account of his brilliant record in congress. Judge Crisp has ever been an able defender of the rights and interests of the people, regardless of the views of the president and his cabinet. Judge Crisp is a man who has the confidence of the people, and admiration among the nations of the earth, and should be permitted to rise higher among the ranks of his comrades will give to the south still greater honor than she has yet achieved.—Butler Herald.

MERCER—The Herald has watched the legislative career of Senator Mercer with interest, and shares the pride which his personal friends feel in his record. He has made for himself. He has been one of the ablest members of the Georgia legislature, and has won distinction for himself and reflected credit upon his constituents and this section of the state.—Albany Herald.

BACON—Now watch Senator Bacon, of Georgia, take the rank as one of the ablest men in the United States senate. He is a splendid representative of a splendid state.—LaGrange Graphic.

STATE NEWS NOTES.

The grand jury of Clinch county is making an effort to punish barkeepers who were engaged in selling whisky illegally. The grand jury is making a list of the names of the barkeepers, and a wave of reform has struck the seaboard.

Elberton has an old madd's club, which is composed of the prettiest and sweetest girls in that ballfield. They are old madd's club, not madd's club.

In the superior court in Augusta, a few days ago there were eleven white men and one negro on the jury. The white men made the negro faint.

Clarke county has devoted considerable attention this year to hog raising, and as a result the farmers have a large supply of meat on hand.

The people of Athens indorse the suggestion of The Bank that a movement be started to secure a union passenger depot.

Athens wants to retain the management of the Northeastern railroad in the hands of the people of that city.

Talbotton says she can boast of the best cotton seed oil mill in the country. The machinery has all been adjusted.

The Blue and the Gray.

From The New York Sun.
The movement for a reunion and parade of the civil war veterans has now assumed the form that insures success. It will be seen in New York next year.

Often of late years the veterans of the confederate service have been called in to the gatherings of union veterans; often, too, at the south, those who once wore the blue, accepting hearty invitations, have mingled with those that wore the gray, and perhaps have marched with them. The encampments of the Grand Army, the celebration of Decoration day, and the dedication of battle parks, like those of Gettysburg and Chickamauga, or other ceremonies connected with the war, have witnessed such reunions.

But now, for the first time, the union and confederate survivors of the war are to be gathered together for the sole purpose of celebrating themselves, their fraternal union, and the return of brotherhood to every part of our land.

It is because this is the special purpose of the projected gathering in the one hundred and twentieth year of the independence of these states that it has a significance which will grow from the present time until the century is held, and which will give it a national importance as one of the great events of 1896, and indeed, of our days.

Fortunate is the country that within the limits of a single generation after the close of a long and bloody civil war can thus make a public demonstration to the world of the fact that in its memories the bitterness is left. Peace we have had with us for thirty years, without the shadow of a thought of renewing the former strife. But the history of the world shows how often even the preservation of peace by those who once were enemies does not bring with it that hearty return of genuine friendship which the veterans of our war feel for each other, and which they propose to commemorate. New York will welcome them all.

The Country Is Safe.

SANTA CLAUS'S SHOW

Meeting of Principals of All the Grammar Schools Yesterday.

BIG CELEBRATION ARRANGED

Grand Public Jubilee of Children Next Wednesday—Each School To Represent a Nation.

At a meeting of the principals of all the grammar schools in the city at the office of Major Slaton, superintendent of the public schools, yesterday afternoon the plans were perfected for one of the grandest Christmas celebrations ever known in Atlanta.

The celebration will occur at the exposition next Wednesday, and will partake of the nature of a grand Santa Claus jubilee, and will answer the further purpose of furnishing to the poor the annual Christmas offering of the people of Atlanta.

The principals of the schools have taken hold of the matter in earnest and will push it through with energy. They will select the children who will take part in the celebration today, and the work will be hurried forward.

The matter originated several days ago, and a meeting of the teachers was called for 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the office of Major Slaton, superintendent of the public schools. Every principal of the several grammar schools was present at the meeting.

Superintendent Slaton stated to the teachers that it was proposed to have a grand children's Christmas jubilee at the exposition, with the co-operation of the teachers and pupils of the Atlanta public schools. He favored the plan, and thought it would be a happy event for the little ones, and would bring their school work to a delightful close for the year.

The idea was heartily seconded by all the principals present, who saw in it a great opportunity for bringing the greatest happiness to the children. The movement was taken up with such earnestness and interest that the teachers immediately commenced making plans to make the day a great success.

It was proposed that all the school children of the city, as well as the other children of the city, should go out to the exposition Wednesday, December 13th, to participate in a grand Christmas festival for children. Santa Claus will be in person on the grounds on a float. He will be followed by a float on which will ride his little brownie, about a dozen of them, and boys fantastically clad in Brownie costumes.

A pretty and unique idea that will be carried out in the parade will be the representation of the children of each of the grammar schools. Ten boys and ten girls from each school will be selected to take part in the representation. The boys will be dressed in the soldier uniform of the country represented by their school, and the girls will be dressed in the native costumes of the country. They will carry the flag of the nation by which each of the grammar schools is represented.

The schools will thus march in line, showing the soldierly and costumes of the various countries in a unique and most interesting manner. The schools will represent nations as follows: Ivy street school, England; Crew street school, Scotland; Walker street school, Germany; Marietta street school, Ireland; Fair street school, Spain; Calhoun street school, America; Ira street school, France; Davis street school, Mexico; Boulevard street school, Lapland; State street school, Italy; Frazier street school, Greece; Edgewood avenue school, Arabia; Formwalt street school, Russia; Williams street school, Turkey; West End school, China.

A mammoth Christmas tree—the largest ever put up in the world—will be placed in the center of the plaza for the children. On this will be heaped presents for the little ones of the schools and the poor children of the city. The tree will be stripped of its presents by the company of Brownies who ride around after Santa Claus. The affair will be carried through with appropriate formality. There will be exercises at the giant Christmas tree, in which President Collier, of the exposition, will take part. He will turn over the keys of the exposition to Santa Claus and his followers, and they will rule the show for one day.

The feature of Christmas giving to the poor, which has always been conspicuous in Atlanta life, will probably be observed here. It is expected that the donations, not the actual provisions—but orders for them, will be placed in envelopes and hung on the big Christmas tree. The matter will be taken up by a committee, which will make a canvass of the city at once and secure the assistance of the merchants and others. It is expected that the exhibitors at the exposition will contribute liberally to gifts for the poor.

The principals of the schools will select the boys and girls who are to represent the nations today, and will drill them thoroughly. The matter will be taken up and pushed to the front.

BOX PARTY TONIGHT.

Tennessee Officers To Be Entertained by the Gate City Guard.

The Gate City Guard, who entertained the officers of the visiting military companies from South Carolina with an elegant box party at the "Patriots" a week or so ago, will repeat the courtesy this evening, when the officers of the visiting Tennessee companies will be the guests.

Before going to the theater the Guard will have an informal reception at their armory, as visitors will then be escorted to the opera house, where six boxes have been reserved for the party and have been appropriately decorated with flags and bunting. When it comes to entertaining Captain Hollis and his men always prove themselves adepts at the art and the Tennessee can look for an evening of pleasure.

Some Superb Half Tones.

Some of the nearest work in half-tones that can be produced has recently been done by the Southern Railway Steamship and Hotel Advertising Company. This company has issued a number of large beautiful half-tones of the Battery Park hotel, Asheville, and the work has been pronounced by experts to be as fine as has ever been done in the south.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR.

GRACE'S BAKING POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

THREE LIMBS BROKEN.

TURNED THROUGH THE MACHINERY OF A FACTORY.

Bob McNeally, an Operative, Comes Out with Breath, but No Clothing.

Robert McNeally, one of the best known body were cut, bruised and torn badly. At most popular young mechanics in Atlanta, he was a victim of the machinery of a factory.

With one arm broken in two places and both legs fractured, he is the home of scratches, bruises and cuts enough to make a guide post to the death of almost any man, even a man with a physical structure and a constitutional capacity of the strongest on earth.

Mr. McNeally lives at 47 Elm street and for some time past has been working in the Ware furniture factory in the western part of the city. Yesterday morning he went to work as usual and about 10 o'clock, while discharging his usual duties, became in some way entangled in the machinery. He was thrown from his feet into the air and whirled about at the mercy of the power of the machinery until rescued by his fellow workmen. When released, Mr. McNeally was unconscious and for a few minutes it was thought he was dead. Nearly every piece of clothing had been torn from his body and bruises, scratches and bumps were plentiful. To the cause of his injuries it was ascertained that one arm had been broken, while it was almost as plain that one leg had been fractured.

The Grady hospital was called and Dr. Brewster, who informed of the condition of the man, hurried the ambulance out. When Mr. McNeally reached the hospital he was suffering intensely, having regained consciousness after the ambulance was called. An examination showed that one arm had been terribly fractured in two places and that one leg carried a compound fracture, while the other had a slight fracture below the knee. In addition to these injuries Mr. McNeally's face, head and body was cut, bruised and torn badly. At the time he was brought to the hospital the arm would have to come off, but successfully the fractured bones were returned to their natural places and the arm will be dressed in the soldier uniform of the country. The flesh wounds were cared for, and when the flesh wounds were cared for, at midnight Mr. McNeally was alive and his condition induced Dr. Brewster to state that his recovery was possible, but that he had better be kept in the hospital until the result.

THE VALENTINES HELD.

MRS. VALENTINE WILL BE PROSECUTED TODAY.

Man and Wife Figuring in Police Circles, Charged with Larceny. Pretty Smooth Crooks.

Mrs. Mary Valentine will be prosecuted in the state courts on a charge of larceny from the person of a young man, who was arrested yesterday and charged with larceny from the person of a young man, who was arrested yesterday and charged with larceny from the person of a young man.

Mrs. Valentine is accused of robbing a young man of the sum of \$40 some time Monday night. Yesterday's Constitution contained an account of the affair given by the victim. He called at police headquarters Tuesday morning and reported that he had been robbed by a woman with whom he walked down a side street, meeting her up town.

While standing on the street talking to the woman, the latter opened the young man's vest and took from the inside pocket a wallet containing the amount stated. She then left for parts unknown. The young man described the woman and the officers concluded that it was Mrs. Valentine who did the crooked work, the description fitting her perfectly. She was arrested Tuesday morning and is now in the woman's department at police headquarters.

Mrs. Valentine vigorously denies that she got the money and declined to compromise the matter by paying the amount in question. She claims that she was not on the street and had never seen the young man until taken before him by the officers. She employed lawyer Mack yesterday and will fight the case.

The victim of the woman's smiles is a young fellow from an adjacent state, who came to town to see the exposition. He gave his name to the police, but requested that it be kept from the newspapers. He will appear against Mrs. Valentine when the case comes to trial.

Jeff Valentine, the husband of the woman, is still locked up at the station house. He is being held to be sent to New York to answer two indictments for grand larceny. He says that he is willing to go back to the metropolis without a regulation. He and his wife are said to be a pair of very smooth crooks in the city.

CUDDY LET GO.

THE STREET PREACHER WARNED BY THE COURT.

Judge Calhoun Says That He Can Preach, but Must Not Disturb Any One in Doing So.

W. A. Cuddy, the street preacher who has attained considerable notoriety since coming to the city, appeared in the city police court yesterday morning to answer a charge of disorderly conduct. The charge grew out of the slight disturbance in front of the Catholic church last Sunday morning.

Judge Calhoun dismissed the case against Cuddy at the request of Mr. P. J. Moran and Mr. J. J. Lynch, who, it seems, made the complaint to the police against Cuddy. The gentlemen stated that they did not desire to push the case, simply wanting the court to warn Cuddy to refrain from insulting members of the Catholic church by taking a position in front of their edifice and trading against the Catholic religion.

Judge Calhoun said that the law gives any one the right to preach on the streets, but that privilege did not go to the extent that a person could so conduct himself as to disturb others in their worship. He warned Cuddy to keep the peace, telling him that if he disturbed the worship of the Catholics or any other denomination he would be vigorously dealt with by the courts. The judge said that Cuddy could not go in front of the Catholic church and preach to the disturbance or annoyance of those worshipping there.

Cuddy was seen by The Constitution after the trial. He said that he told the court that the prophets of old entered the courts and took issue with the priests, and that he felt that any messenger from God had the same right. The preacher said that if the spirit moved him he felt that it was his duty he would enter the churches of Atlanta and ask questions of the priests or ministers.

Cuddy announces that he will preach three sermons at the corner of Marietta and Peachtree streets next Sunday at 2, 4 and 6 o'clock p. m. His subjects will be "On This Rock I Build My Church," "Why There is No Forgiveness," and "Rome Foretold in Prophecy," the latter sermons being preached from the Catholic Bible and illustrated by a large chart carried by the preacher.

A Child's Death.

Willie Jester, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Jester, 308 Houston street, died yesterday. The funeral will occur today, after which the interment will be at Westview.

Carlisle Tried Yesterday.

George Carlisle was tried yesterday before Judge Fouts and before a jury of 12. The verdict was a guilty verdict. Carlisle was the prosecutor. Carlisle could not give bond and was sent to jail.

THEY DON'T LIKE IT

There Are Those Who Want the Late Municipal Election

LOOKED INTO BY THE COUNCIL

And a Resolution to That Effect May Be Presented—Lots of Talk, but No Work So Far.

A decidedly sensational turn may be given the municipal election of last Wednesday when the general council meets next Monday.

It is possible that an attempt will be made to throw out the returns from the sixth ward and those from the second as well.

Should the attempt be made and accomplished it would materially affect the make up of the next general council and would present a political picture Atlanta has never seen since the new charter was given the city.

During the session of the general council Monday the clerk, Mr. Phillips, will present a paper showing the vote as consolidated by the managers of the election at noon, and the returns from the sixth ward. That paper will contain the name of each candidate, the place for which he ran and the number of votes he received in each ward, with the total vote given him in the seven wards. Along with this paper will come a resolution reciting the fact that the names given in the resolution received the highest vote for the positions named, and declaring them elected for the term of service provided by law and eligible to qualification at the regular meeting of the general council on the first Monday in January next.

Only Three More Performances. The engagement of "The Patriots" is rapidly nearing its close. Only three more performances will be given. There will be a performance today, and tomorrow night the opera will be heard for the last time this season in Atlanta.

These performances should catch very large crowds, for there are many people in Atlanta who have not heard the opera. Last night a very good audience was present, and the performance was a success without one hitch or omission from beginning to end. The principals did cleverly, and the orchestra was perfect in spirit and accuracy. The drilling and dancing were especially good. The comedy was a success, and the performance was a success.

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There were several cowboys on hand. It was in the last scene when I was preparing to 'do' the scene, I made a remark to a hand who was to 'kill me' that I was a 'cowboy' and he said, 'I'll kill you quick,' and he did so.

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sale for tonight indicates the biggest audience of the engagement and serves to show that despite all talk to the contrary, the people do appreciate Shakespeare's plays when they are well produced.

Last night's audience was one of the most notable of the season. The house was filled with the stage and room and the audience were many notable people. Mrs. Joseph Thompson's box party in honor of Mrs. Potter Palmer was one of the exhibition events.

"Barney" Kleibacher had a card or two up his sleeve Tuesday night that the boys didn't suspect. They had heard him talk about his new theater and about the bill of attractions he would furnish them, but they had no conception of how far beyond his promises the reality would be.

The Imperial is a pretty little theater with all the necessary appointments complete, in fact, in every detail. Mr. Frank, the proprietor, has spent his money freely and the result must be gratifying to him. Last night's audience was very large, just as was that on the opening night, and everybody was enthusiastic over the playhouse and the attractions presented.

The bill is certainly one of the very best of its kind ever seen here in Atlanta. Atlanta is no "jay" town; we know good variety when we see it, and certainly that is the case with the bill now being presented here. All of the turns are good, the bill as a whole is well balanced, and there is not a dull moment in the show.

It will be worth your while visiting the Imperial, the local favorite, and the attractions furnished are excellent. There is no drinking in the theater and ladies have been there in large numbers at the Imperial this season. Matinee today and night performance.

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VICTORY FOR MERCER

The Institution Gets \$13,000 by Judge Lumpkin's Decision.

CHENEY WILL CASE IN COURT

Mrs. Owens Gave a \$250 Bond Yesterday for Her Appearance on the Charge Against Her.

Judge Lumpkin rendered a decision in the Cheney case yesterday, which awards \$13,000 of the estate of the deceased to the Mercer university, of Macon, that amount being in addition to the endowment to the institution not questioned by the relatives of the deceased.

The decision was an important one, covering about eighteen pages of typewritten copy. It was made on the petition of the trustees of the institution, represented by Mr. W. B. Willingham and Mr. C. A. Turner. The petition was filed in court some time ago and argued at length by the attorneys of both sides.

Mr. E. B. Martin, administrator of the estate of Cheney, was the defendant in the case. By the decision he is restrained from paying \$13,000 of the estate to the relatives of thirteen dead grandchildren of the deceased. By the will Cheney bequeathed \$1,000 each to his grandchildren and nieces. Thirteen of them died before the death of Cheney and the relatives claim that they are entitled to \$1,000 each for the dead children.

The will provided that the residue of the estate, after certain bequests had been paid, should go to Mercer university. By the will the university gets about \$43,000. If the decision of Judge Lumpkin should not be set aside by the supreme court, should it be finally decided that the thirteen dead grandchildren are entitled to a part of the estate, their relatives will receive \$13,000 out of the amount bequeathed to Mercer.

Mr. Martin represented himself as administrator in the case. He made an earnest plea for his side of the case and may carry the matter to a higher court. Mr. Willingham worked assiduously in behalf of Mercer and he was warmly congratulated on his success, it being quite a legal victory. He was formerly a Maconite and took especial delight in serving the institution so highly regarded by that city and the state.

Mrs. Owens Under \$250. Mrs. J. B. Owens, who came so near killing Jake Adolphus last week, gave bond for her appearance in court on a charge of assault with intent to murder yesterday. The bond was signed before Justice of the Peace Poole and approved by Sheriff Barnes during the morning.

Judge Poole named the amount of \$250 requisite to insure the appearance in court of Mrs. Owens. She is lying dangerously ill at her home south of the city and the victim of the pistol is recovering from his wounds. The guard placed at the Owens house by Sheriff Barnes was withdrawn yesterday.

The warrant against Mrs. Owens was sworn out by the relatives of Adolphus. When she recovers sufficiently to appear in court she will be prosecuted on the charge, and the relatives of Adolphus declaring that the shooting was unjustifiable in the light of past events.

General Avery Makes a Correction. Editor Constitution—You will, of course, allow me to correct the unkind and inaccurate card in this morning's Constitution of "A Friend of Grady," who should have signed his name to such a communication. He introduced Mr. Grady to me as Mr. E. E. Orchard, who stated to him that I was one of the first editors of The Constitution and introduced Mr. Grady into journalism.

That Mr. Freund misunderstood the time of my editorship carries no blame. Colonel Styles was editor only four months. I became editor of the paper in May, 1888, and Mr. W. A. Hemphill, who has been business manager of the powerful paper from the start till now, building it into prominent position in the city, and anniversary edition, June 18, 1888, of my editorial service.

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The Rev. Sam Small, long on The Constitution, in an article written for the same occasion, but not received in time and published June 25, 1888, thus speaks of my editorial work:

"It will find no dispute anywhere that the editorial conduct of this paper during that strange and stormy period of state history had no equal anywhere in the South. It was a masterpiece of journalism. It called for a man of marvelous versatility to meet the demands of that period. While Georgia lives and her sons can read the annals of her degradation and redemption, the double-starred names of The Constitution and Avery will shine as Castor and Pollux in the constellation of that heroic era fixed in the heavens of the state's history."

I do not deserve this, but it testifies that I tried to do my duty. When the monument to the 1861 Grady was unveiled on October 2, 1891, I was asked to write my connection with him. I wrote, and the words can be found in The Constitution of that day.

"Henry Grady was a born journalist, and it happened to me to be linked to the first notes of his genius, and through words that foretold the rich flavor of his ripe days. It fell to me to induce him into the work in which he so ably, and to see and use his gift, of which he himself did not know. I was with him when he was older and wiser, and with him when the hottest news strife of any time, in which his power and crucial test, and gave a royal harvest."

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Mr. J. M. Ward, who so successfully managed "Pawnee Ticket" last season, brings "Delmonico's" at 8 o'clock next week. Mr. Ward will stage this successful farce comedy in first-class style and has engaged Miss Virginia, Miss Clara Bell and the Hart sisters, late of the Empire theater, London, the English dancers. Mr. Ward has a fine company of actors, including Messrs. C. E. Jefferson, Klaw & Erlanger and has booked this company to come in all the leading theaters in the United States and Canada. Mr. Glen MacDonough has added twelve musical numbers to this successful comedy.

A Spiritualist Coming. Sunday at 8 o'clock, Eva Eddy, who is billed as a wonderful spiritualist, comes to the Lyceum.

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known to me, wrote a letter for publication to The Constitution, signed "King Hana." It had all the sparkle of after days. Mr. Hemphill, who was from Athens, Grady's home, and had asked him to write, told me who he was and I had Grady write more.

He came home, writing me of his return. Colonel Hurlburt, manager of the Western and Atlantic railroad, originated press excursions, now so popular, and got up the first one. I wrote for Grady and sent him, a youth inexperienced in journalism, as the representative of The Constitution, the leading paper of the state, to compete with the trained old journalists of Georgia, confident that he would hold his own. He wrote the best letters of the whole lot and they were generally copied. This revealed him his power and he often told me that it showed him his way and put him into journalism. He was in consequence offered the editorship of a Roman paper. I was editor, and later we owned and ran the Atlanta Herald.

These are the facts, which show that the anonymous writer has written wrongly of Grady. I should not have noticed the mistake if he had not unkindly said things that affected me myself.

Mr. Grady's good wife thanked me for the appreciation of her husband in my article. Most accessible, in appearance, and self to the country. Such efforts work for their own harvest. I. W. AVERY.

TRYING A DAMAGE SUIT. Carter's Case for \$5,000 Now Up Before Judge Newman.

The suit of William F. Carter against the Southern Railway Company for \$5,000 occupied the court of Judge Newman yesterday. This suit has occupied the court for several days and will not reach the jury before tomorrow. Yesterday Colonel Ladd and Judge Dorey pleaded before his honor, to be followed by Judge Brewster today with the closing argument by Colonel Ladd.

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There is a good deal more to say about Harriet Monroe than about most clever people. There is something of the stock woman about little Harriet Monroe—nothing of the woman who comes to be interviewed; no egotism, no aggressive assertion. She is always the dainty little lady, the genuine artist, who feels that her life belongs more to herself and the people she cares for than to the public.

Find her out, know her sincerely, talk with her as woman to woman, and a beautiful, inspiring soul is unfolded to you. She has opinions—original, vital ones—and she is in the best sense a woman of today. Those glasses looked out of place at her pretty nose. She scarcely ever wears them, and never in evening attire. At Mrs. Thompson's reception to Mrs. Palmer she was simply exquisite. So many people who write poetry would never be suspected of it from their appearance, but she looks like a poet.

If a gown was of white satin, showing a tiny lilac stripe, and about her throat she wore a boa of pink and lilac chiffon. Her brown hair was parted and caught with a silver fillet and carried to a low coil. She would have been a fine model for some modern painter's figure of Poesy.

The best opportunity I had of knowing the real woman herself was in my study the morning after the ball. I having brought her there with the promise of offering her exposition data, but in reality that I might know her genuinely. She drifted into a talk about the modern drama.

"All of my ambitions and tastes," she said, "tend toward dramatic writing. I want to write plays and dramatic poems always."

"And what is your idea of the outlook of the drama?" I asked.

"With the long stupidity of years of conventionalism to battle against, I think," she said, "that hopes of great things to come are dawning upon us. Even the every-day public has grown tired of that eternal drama with its stupid stock characters and situations. I was so impressed with that fact in witnessing the great reception given to Beercham Tree's 'Enemy of the People,' Chicago. He had been playing his regular roles, and he determined to give this great unconventional drama as his last performance. There is not a word of love-making in it, you know. It is a natural story, full of dramatic power. Its reception was indeed one which proved fully that the public had a taste for honest intellectual food if the drama will but offer it them."

"And then you believe in Tolstoy?"

"Oh, absolutely, and Maeterlinck and Sudermann. It seems to me that all the great play writers are young Germans. They have motives serious and profound. Their work means something. They are bringing the best class of playgoers back—those people who have for years given up going to the theater to be bored by those or four acts of stock people with their commonplace talk and their conventional situations."

"Do you think that the great dramatists are finding great people to sustain their work?"

"Yes, I do; the actor as well as the public is ready for the reformation. I think Minnie Maddern is really one of our coming women in the new drama. In the 'Doll House' she is a wonder. You feel the intellectual suggestion of it all behind her work, and Mr. T. is where the power lies. With intellectual plays we must have brainy players, people of advanced thought and possessed of a keen sense of the meaning of their lines."

Our conversation drifted, after this, to every-day matters, but the pretty speaker touched up every subject in the charming, luminous way peculiar to her. Her voice in conversation is silver clear and sweet. It is such a truthful voice, and is in such accord with the fair, pure face of its owner, in whose presence one feels quite a long way off from littleness and sordid thoughts.

She is adorable, this little Harriet Monroe.

MAUDE ANDREWS.

With the Congresses.

The woman's congress committee of yesterday had as its unique feature the treat of a lecture on California by Mrs. Lucy Underwood McCann, the brilliant commissioner from that state. She has on several occasions lectured in the auditorium on the beauties and products of her state, and by special request lectured in assembly hall yesterday. She is a woman of distinguished prominence and one of the most successful women lawyers of the country. She has the gift of eloquence seldom possessed by woman and held her audience of yesterday enthralled by her clever ideas and power of expression. She concluded her lecture by a glimpse of the women of her state and spoke with the greatest appreciation and admiration of the women of the south, and the practical indication of what they were capable of, as seen in the success of the woman's department of the exposition.

Mrs. McCann has made many friends since her visit to Atlanta and is a woman who has all the requisites of a distinguished woman. Among her many accomplishments she has made a study of palmistry for the pleasure there is in it and has told stories of the future to some of the most distinguished as well as the prettiest women who have been so fortunate as to meet her during the exposition.

Today's Programme.
Woman's congress in assembly hall, woman's building, Thursday, December 11, 1895.
Mrs. Emily M. Bishop, Washington, D. C. "Power" Through Self-Expression.
Afternoon session, 2 to 3 p. m.
Congress of engineers, Grant Wilkins, chairman, from 3 to 5.

Mr. Damrosch to Lecture.
Mr. Walter Damrosch has offered, through his representative, Mr. Leon Margulies and Mr. William Geppert, to deliver

live a lecture for the benefit of the woman's board of the exposition. This lecture will be pronounced tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the auditorium at the exposition grounds, and an admission fee of fifty cents will be charged at the door. All persons holding tickets for any of the performances of German opera at the Grand will be admitted free of charge. Mr. Damrosch will talk about Wagner and his immortal works and will explain the meaning of "Lohengrin," "Siegfried" and "Tannhauser," the three operas which his company will present in Atlanta this week. He will use a piano for purposes of illustration. Mr. Damrosch's fame as a lecturer is almost commensurate with his reputation as a musician and conductor, and all who attend his lecture will be entertained and instructed. Every dollar of the proceeds will be given to the woman's board. Mr. Margulies and Mr. Geppert yesterday conferred with the officers of the exposition, who heartily approve of the entertainment. All persons who wish to learn much of interest concerning Wagner and his sublime creations and to be instructed as to the mysteries and beauties of "Tannhauser," "Lohengrin" and "Siegfried" will make a serious mistake if they fail to hear this learned and eloquent exposition by one of the greatest Wagnerian exponents living. Every seat in the auditorium should be occupied. Mr. Damrosch and his company will arrive at Atlanta tomorrow at noon. During his stay here he will be the recipient of much social attention.

THE SOCIAL SIDE.

At the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning at 11 o'clock Miss Lettie Markham, of this city, and Mr. Smith Davenport, of Macon, were united in marriage.

The church was exquisitely decorated with palms and flowers and the seats were all filled by the prominent people of society. To the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" the bride entered on the arm of her father by the right door. She was followed by her attendants, half of them entering by the right and half by the left. At the altar she was met by the groom with his best man, Mr. Charles Northen. The ceremony was performed in an impressive and solemn manner by Rev. E. H. Barnett. Atlanta tomorrow at noon. During his stay here he will be the recipient of much social attention.

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Mrs. Sarah Grant Jackson began her informal "at homes" Tuesday afternoon and presented to her many callers her charming guests, Miss Daisy Neely, of Memphis, and Miss Katherine Kerens, of St. Louis.

Mrs. Lewis Beck will have as her guest after Saturday Miss Disston, of Philadelphia, a young woman whose intelligence, wealth and prominence make her a social favorite wherever she is.

Miss Eva Bell will be greatly missed by her Atlanta friends during her visit to California. Miss Bell will spend several months with her relatives and friends and visit the many places of natural scenery and beauty in that state.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Pelot, Mrs. Kate C. Smith, Miss Fannie Hansberger, Miss Lillie Walsh and Mr. J. N. Walsh, of Augusta, are at the Leland.

Miss Louise Oehmke, one of Chattanooga's most charming debutantes, is visiting her cousin, Professor E. E. West, at 405 Spring street.

One of the most brilliant theater parties ever given in Atlanta was that at which Mrs. Joseph Thompson was hostess and Mrs. Potter Palmer the guest of honor. The party occupied several boxes at the Grand last night and witnessed Otis Skinner's production of "Villon, the Vagabond." It consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Potter Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Atkinson, Mrs. W. G. Roaul, Mrs. B. W. Wrenn, Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Ryan, Mrs. Mack, Miss Clarke, Mr. Honore and Mr. W. Q. Gresham. After the theater an elegant supper was enjoyed by Mrs. Thompson's guests.

Mrs. A. E. Thornton gave an elegant luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. Beale, of Virginia. Mrs. Thornton's guests included Mrs. Beale, Mrs. H. W. Grady, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. S. M. Inman, Mrs. Lechman, Mrs. M. M. Thompson, Dr. Calhoun, Mrs. Hagan, Mrs. Tompkins, Mrs. Raoul and Mrs. Lowe.

Miss Minnie Applegate, of Wellboro, W. Va., is visiting her uncle, Judge Rosser, at 239 Whitehall street. Applegate is one of West Virginia's fairest daughters and will prove a popular addition to Atlanta society.

Mr. Walter McCormack, son of the late L. D. McCormack, will be married tonight to Miss Minnie Williams. Miss Williams is a sister of W. M. Williams, the inventor of the Williams Automatic cutter, which is now on exhibition at the exposition. It is to be a home affair.

A happy marriage took place last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Butt, 419 Whitehall street, the contracting parties being Mr. W. B. Cody and Miss Lettie Markham. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. L. S. Hopkins and was witnessed by a few friends of the families. A beautiful collection of presents tastefully arranged in one of the parlors, testifying the popularity of the bride and groom. Mr. Cody is a member of the best known, most efficient and most popular members of the Atlanta fire department, while his bride is a charming, pretty and popular Atlanta lady.

LaGrange, Ga., December 11.—(Special.)—Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Minnie Belle Reid to Mr. W. Douglas Cooper, which will occur at 3:30 o'clock p. m. on the 28th of this month, at the suburban home of the bride's father, Mr. S. A. Reid. Miss Minnie Belle is one of the most beautiful girls of the younger set of the city and is very highly accomplished. She is a graduate of the Southern Female college of this city, bearing off the first honor of her class last year. She is a member of the Young Women's Christian association and has been the recipient of many social favors and many admirers. She is to do honor to this pure, sweet girl, who is graced with a noble lineage, a sweet temper and with such winning manners. Her father is a son of J. N. Cooper, the oldest merchant in LaGrange, and is a young man of sterling worth.

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The Industrial List Was the Favorite Again Yesterday—Wheat Lost Another Fraction.

Directors of American Tobacco have just declared the regular 2 per cent dividend on the preferred stock, payable February 5th; books closed for the year ending January 31st. The action of the directors in passing the February dividend on the common. It is stated positively that the May dividend on the common was not considered.

Operations have been identified with the investment in industrial stocks. It is about time for the wise men to stop trading on the bear and sugar industry. Sugar may be the victim of the German tariff legislation, but Sugar has gone to strong hands and is very likely to rally sharply when it sells. It is different Friday, particularly in the ex-dividend to the neighborhood of 102. As to the other industrial stocks, they have had an enormous reaction and rather more than justified by trade reports. Those which have intruded are bound to succeed, and later on to have a material

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New York, December 11—Southern flour dull but active; good to choice \$2.00-2.30; common to fair ex-
\$2.10-2.22. Middling, good to choice \$1.90-2.00; common to fair ex-
\$1.90-2.00; bulk \$0.90-1.00. Penn. 700 1/2 lbs.
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Dividend Notice No. 3.
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LAST SESSION ENDED

The Legislature Adjourned at Midnight

Last Night.

CLOSING SCENES IN THE HOUSE

Speaker Fleming Says a Parting Word to the House.

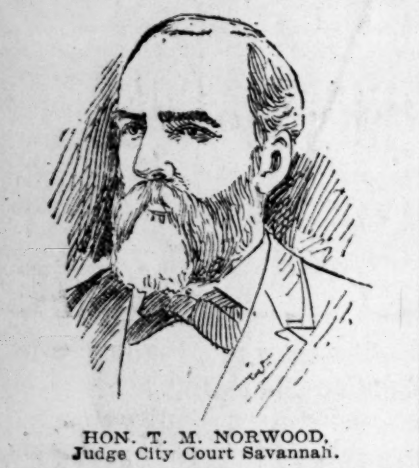
SAYS HE WILL NOT RUN AGAIN

Gives His Side to the Controversy with Mr. Callaway, the Governor's Private Secretary.

Both branches of the legislature adjourned sine die at midnight. The senate's last session came to an end promptly at 12 o'clock, while that of the house continued a few minutes after the midnight hour.

The house spent a busy evening considering senate bills. A number of measures were read the third time and put upon their passage, but no bills of general importance were taken up.

The closing hours of the session were characteristic of the usual scenes incident to the adjournment of the house. The mock session which began after 12 o'clock



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was characteristic of the usual merriment. Speaker Fleming took a graceful leave of the house after having received a vote of thanks from that body. He thanked the members for their kindness and courtesy, and made the statement that he would not be a candidate for the speakership. This statement he made that those friends of his who applied to the speaker might not stop in their efforts.

He took occasion in the close of his remarks to make a privileged statement concerning the incident between Mr. Frank Callaway, private secretary to the governor, and himself. He presented an affidavit from the house who carried the message to Mr. Callaway to the effect that Mr. Callaway had said that the whole business, meaning the house, and not Mr. Fleming, might go to the devil. The incident referred to occurred Tuesday. Mr. Callaway appeared in the house with a message from the governor. The body was busy with the consideration of a point of order, and the speaker requested the secretary to wait. He waited for a half hour and then returned to the governor's office. After the lapse of a few minutes a page was sent to Mr. Callaway by the speaker to say that the house was ready to receive the message. Mr. Callaway, impatient at the delay, is alleged to have remarked that the whole business might go to the devil.

In his statement last night Speaker Fleming said that it was not an issue between Mr. Callaway and himself; that he did not consider the message as personal, but that he understood that it was meant for the house. He had nothing against Mr. Callaway, and had kept the remark from the house because, if reported to the house, it would have to go upon the records of that body. He had intended to say nothing about it until the publication of an interview with Mr. Callaway in the Commercial rendered it necessary that he make an explanation. In this interview it appears that the interview had been directed to the speaker himself. The speaker presented the page's affidavit to show that it was not.

Mr. Rockwell, of Chatham, a friend of both Mr. Callaway and the speaker, asked to be allowed to speak for Mr. Callaway. The point of order was made that the hour of adjournment had arrived. Speaker Fleming requested as a personal favor to himself that the point be withdrawn. Mr. Rockwell, of Bibb, who had made the point, withdrew it, but the gentleman from Whitfield objected, and the incident ended.

Mr. Callaway was on the floor of the house at the time and was standing beside his friend, Mr. Rockwell.

Mr. Callaway stated that he had always been the custom for the house to receive the message from the governor whenever the messenger presents himself, and that he should not have been kept waiting when he appeared with the message.

A Start for the Normal School.

The State Normal school, at Athens, will receive an appropriation for dormitories after all. The senate adopted an amendment, introduced by Senator Sanford, which was attached to the bill appropriating money to the State Normal and Industrial college, at Milledgeville, appropriating \$2,000 to the State Normal school. This amendment was concurred in by the house yesterday.

The following senate bills were passed yesterday:

To regulate the leasing out of penitentiary convicts by the governor.

To amend the charter of the city of Macon.

To re-incorporate the town of Elberton.

To authorize and empower the commissioners of roads and revenues of Chatham county to acquire by purchase or condemnation proceedings any road in said county.

To prohibit non-resident persons from camp-hunting in Dade county.

To amend an act incorporating the town of Kingston.

To provide for the board of commissioners of roads and revenues of the city of Lumpkin.

To revise the charter of the town of Brown.

To establish a new charter for the town of Statham.

To define the rights and privileges of foreign trustees and guardians.

To authorize the governor to relinquish all claims the state may have to the Blue Ridge and Atlanta railroad.

To approve, adopt and make of force the code of laws prepared under the direction and by the authority of the general assembly.

To amend section 1 of an act to establish a school for colored persons as a branch of the State university.

To provide for service by publication in certain cases.

To provide for the protection of the cemetery in

tery reserve in the city of Macon, and to make penal certain intrusions thereon.

To amend the act creating a board of medical examiners for this state.

Resolutions Adopted.

A resolution asking an appropriation from the government for a roadway from Atlanta to McPherson barracks was adopted.

Also a resolution for the relief of the South Brunswick Terminal Railroad company.

Also a resolution authorizing the governor to borrow money to make up deficiencies. Passed.

Senate Bills Killed.

The following senate bills were lost:

To require all brooms made by convicts to be stamped.

To provide for notice to the garnishee of the filing of a traverse to the garnishee of such garnishee when the garnishment is pending in any of the justice courts of this state.

To amend sections 1 and 2 of an act in reference to the inspection of illuminating oils.

To amend an act to declare councilmen and aldermen of the towns and cities in this state ineligible during their term of office to any other municipal office.

To amend section 708 of the code.

To authorize the payment of checks, demand drafts, etc., in case of the death of the drawer.

To amend the act fixing the salaries of the state librarian and assistant librarian.

To regulate the tolling of rice.

Some Presentations.

A handsome gold badge was presented to Hon. Joseph Mansfield, of the county of McIntosh, by his admiring friends in the legislature yesterday afternoon. The badge is octagonal in shape, very handsome, and is artistically decorated. It has the following inscription engraved upon it: Hon. Joseph Mansfield, in recognition of his services to democracy, from his friends in the Georgia legislature, 1895.

On the center of the badge is the coat of arms of the state of Georgia handsomely engraved. It is one of the handsomest badges of its kind ever seen in Atlanta. The presentation was made by Hon. E. R. Jones, of the county of Dougherty, in behalf of the house, in an appropriate speech. Mr. Mansfield made a happy speech, and thanked the members for their kindness.

Mr. Mansfield is one of the staunchest democrats in the general assembly and is universally beloved by all who know him. McIntosh county has been ably represented by the gentleman, and it is earnestly hoped that those present at his constituents will return him to the next house.

Mr. Fouché, of Floyd, in behalf of the general judiciary committee, presented Hon. E. F. Jenkins, the chairman of that committee, a handsome silver water set in an appropriate speech.

Mr. Greer, of Macon, in a nice little speech presented to Mr. Meil, of Clarke, chairman of the committee on enrollment, a handsome gold-headed cane.

Night Session.

The following bills were passed:

To amend an act to declare the councilmen of the towns and cities in this state ineligible during their term of office to any other municipal office in said town.

To provide for the sale or lease of the Northeastern railroad.

To authorize justices of the peace and notaries public to reside in districts other than the one they were elected or appointed to.

To authorize the judges of the superior courts in this state in cases of seduction or divorce when the evidence is vulgar or obscene to clear the court of a portion or all of the audience.

To amend section 1979 of the code of 1882.

To make more specific the crime of battery in this state.

To amend section 1975 of the code of 1882.

To authorize any written instrument to be admitted in evidence when subscribing witnesses are dead, insane, incompetent, etc.

To require that the seal of the state capitol shall be impressed to make the same good by transfer from the surplus profits to the capitol clock.

To amend the general law as to the inspection, analysis and sale of fertilizers.

The following bills were lost:

To amend section 430 of the code so as to allow county authorities to hire misadmen convicts to private persons.

To amend an act regulating the business of insurance brokers in this state.

To amend an act appointing two from the senate and three from the house to investigate the convicts of this state was carried.

By a unanimous rising vote the house passed a resolution of thanks to Hon. W. H. Fleming for his faithful service to the house. It stated that he had the love, respect and esteem of every member and expressed the hope that his future life might be as happy.

Mr. Fleming replied in a very appropriate speech. He stated that when he was elected speaker of the house he promised to do his full duty in so far as he was able, and he felt from the hearty endorsement given the resolution that he had done his duty in every respect.

Evening Session of the Senate.

At the evening session of the senate the following bills were passed:

The bill of Mr. Gaines, of Hall, authorizing the payment of pensions to certain widows of Confederate soldiers who are on the invalid pension roll, was passed.

The bill of Mr. Pitman, of Troup, to make penal the offense of hindering, obstructing or interfering with officers, was passed.

The bill, providing for an official survey of the Western and Atlantic railroad, was passed.

The bill to amend the general school laws of this state passed.

Other bills passed are:

To authorize the town of Dahlonega to grant any railroad the use of the streets of said town.

To create a board of commissioners for Fannin county.

A bill for the relief of the North Georgia Agricultural college.

To incorporate the town of Pinehurst in DeKalb county.

To amend an act incorporating the city of Chickamauga.

A bill to amend section 1850 of the code of 1882 so as to change the number of commissioners in Lunacy cases.

A bill to incorporate the town of Jakin in Early county.

A bill to abolish the city court of Laurens.

To amend an act to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors at Tryon factory.

To amend an act establishing a system of public schools for Quitman.

To amend an act incorporating the Title Guarantee and Loan Company of Savannah.

To establish a system of public schools in Cordele.

To require all obstructions to be removed from running streams in Madison county.

To authorize the mayor and council of Clarksville to issue bonds.

To change the time of holding the terms of the superior courts in the Rome circuit.

To amend the various acts chartering the town of Conyers.

To amend the charter of the Union Loan and Trust Company; a bill to establish a system of the schools for Tryon, Ga.; a bill to change the license of photographers; a bill to provide who may redeem real estate sold at tax sales; a bill to prevent the procurement of consignments of farm, orchard and dairy products by parties who fail to account to the rightful owner of such products for the proceeds arising from the sale thereof.

Norwood Confirmed.

At the morning session of the senate the appointment of Colonel T. M. Norwood as judge of the court of Savannah was confirmed by the senate in executive session.

The Senate Handled Many.

At the three sessions of the senate yesterday, the three closing sessions, a larger number of bills far than has yet been passed by that body were read for the third time and passed upon favorably.

Most of them were local bills which had been crowded out until yesterday. They were passed in short order, there being but little debate over any of them. The bills passed follow:

A bill to appropriate \$1,400 to the asylum for the deaf and dumb.

A bill to amend section 4721, which relates to arresting non-residents.

A bill to amend the act establishing a city court in all counties having a population of over 1,000.

A bill for the better regulation of the state militia.

A bill to regulate practice in the courts in the Tallapoosa circuit.

A bill to prohibit the operation of opium joints in this state.

A bill to amend the law prescribing the method of granting charters.

A bill to amend the charter of Hapeville.

A bill to prevent lynching and mob violence in this state.

A bill regulating the sale of milk and butter in this state.

A bill to incorporate the town of West Grove.

A bill to prohibit the manufacture of any kind of liquors in Coweta county.

A bill to amend the charter of Shellman.

A bill to amend the charter of Conyers.

A bill to amend the sale of liquor in certain limits in Duluth.

A bill to change time of holding superior court of Paulding county.

A bill to fix pay of two bailiffs in the city court of Atlanta.

A bill to establish board of road commissioners for Bryan county.

A bill to incorporate the Title and Loan Company of Savannah.

A bill to compel all persons selling beef or pork in Liberty county to exhibit the ears of the animal killed.

A bill to prohibit the sale of liquor in Habersham county.

A bill to require all military companies to be attached to a regiment.

A bill to remove all obstructions from running streams in Madison county.

A bill to amend the charter of the Union Trust Company, of Atlanta.

A bill to create a board of road commissioners for Habersham county.

A bill to authorize Clarksville to issue bonds.

Some Senate Notes.

A great many people have forgotten, very likely, that there was a prohibition measure, favorably reported by the temperance committee, before the senate all during the session, which could have been called up and put on its passage at any time, had it been desired. The measure referred to is the one introduced at the session of the senate last year by Senator Mercer. It was introduced as a substitute for the Bush bill and was favorably passed upon by the temperance committee of the senate. The provisions of the bill in a general way were that liquor should be sold in sealed packages and could not be opened on the premises of the selling place. A great many think it is a good bill, but as it was not called up this session it is dead now.

Senator Mercer also had another matter which he intended to bring before the senate—the matter of swamp drainage by convicts of the state. An appropriation of \$5,000 was made by the general assembly for a geological survey of the river swamp last year and the work of surveying has been carried on to some extent and will be continued. The modest members of the matter was not brought up again before this session is that the lease of the convicts will not expire for several years and the law could not be put into effect at once.

The dance du ventre bill—the famous bill of which "Jones of Dougherty" is author, and which was the subject of much debate in the senate—was not reached in the senate, and is not one of Georgia laws. The bill passed the house like a whirlwind, Jones, of Dougherty, made one of the most eloquent speeches heard on the floor of the house favoring its passage, and other members "waxed eloquent in their speeches against the vulgar Midway dance. The debate, however, applauded and the bill went on to the senate. Here it was referred to the general judiciary committee. That committee reported adversely on the bill. The senator cared enough about it to move to disagree to the report of the committee and the bill simply died pending, as many other bills die.

Senator Nat E. Harris, the able chairman of the general judiciary committee of the senate, was presented with a fine gold-headed cane last night by members of that committee. The presentation was made by Senator Claiborne Snead, Senator Harris received the compliment and remembrance in a most touching speech.

President Venable was presented with a gold watch chain by the senate in appreciation of his services as presiding officer. The senate also requested one of Mr. Venable's pictures to adorn the walls of the senate chamber.

Mr. Boynton Honored.

One of the most pleasant incidents of yesterday was the presentation of Chairman Boynton, of the finance committee, by the committee of a very elegant Dresden clock. The presentation speech in behalf of the committee was made by Chairman Proctor Boffeillet, to which Chairman Boynton made response. It was the proper remembrance of an able and faithful official who has rendered the state great service in his capacity of a representative and chairman.

Mr. Boynton's Position.

Editor Constitution—In your issue of this day an article headed "In Legislative Halls" you do me a personal favor by stating my position on the \$200,000 appropriation, but you have unintentionally and unconsciously placed me in an unpleasant and inconsistent attitude on this measure by saying that I "opposed the substitute which had for its purpose practically to distribute the \$200,000 already in the treasury to the credit of this fund." The fact is, I was the mover of that substitute and earnestly supported it and urged its adoption for economic reasons. The matter, however, took a different view of the matter under the impression that there were sufficient funds in the treasury to meet the entire appropriation of \$200,000. But this being not true and inasmuch as the appropriation was made, it became necessary, as I insisted, to issue the treasury warrants or to authorize a short loan. The senate has very wisely provided for this loan by authorizing the governor to negotiate it, and it meets with my hearty approval. In justice to me I hope you will note this correction in your next issue. Respectfully,

JEFF L. BOYNTON.

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LAW AND THE CAPE

Something of the Troubles of the Creole

Kitchen at the Fair.

ALL DONATIONS ARE CUT OFF

What the Exhibitors Who Gave Donations Say—Troubles Have Now Gone to the City Court.

There is trouble in the Creole kitchen on the exposition grounds.

This kitchen was intended to be the creme de la creme of refreshment resorts at the exposition. It was indirectly conducted by the women's department of the exposition, and was looked after immediately by the ways and means committee, of which Mrs. Hugh Hagan is chairman and Mrs. Grant Wilkins treasurer.

In order to make their work a great success the women's board solicited donations from the J. W. H. Huggins Company, manufacturers of Huggins's famous sauce, and of the H. J. Flecker Company, California canned fruits, and Smith Bros., New Orleans, manufacturers of the celebrated Cobana coffee.

It seems that these firms in connection with others donated goods to the women's board also withdrew, preferring to have only brands of goods of their kind sold at the Creole kitchen. The ways and means committee becoming dissatisfied with their manager, Mr. W. T. Edmondson, withdrew their support from the Creole kitchen and established a restaurant in the women's building.

In doing this, the parties who had so generously donated goods to the women's board also withdrew preferring to have their goods used in the manner in which they were intended. It is claimed that the ways and means committee, who have the direct management of the kitchen, were compelled to take this step in justice to the donors. It is said they were unable to collect their percent from Mr. Edmondson, and have even gone so far as to institute suit for several hundred dollars.

After the ladies' board withdrew their patronage from the Creole kitchen and dissolved their connection with Mr. Edmondson, Messrs. Huggins, Flecker and Smith Bros., who have their goods here not on sale but on exhibition, and who have donated to the women's board free of all cost all that they might need at the kitchen, were forced to take similar action.

These goods are now being served at the ladies' restaurant in the women's building. In talking to one of the interested exhibitors yesterday, he said:

"There has been trouble at the Creole kitchen from the very day it opened. Edmondson has not been disposed to do the square thing with the exhibitors of the women's board. In fact, he acted in such bad faith that the board was compelled to withdraw their support and interest from the Creole kitchen and to establish themselves in the women's building. Of course as Messrs. Huggins, Flecker and Smith Bros., and other parties donated goods to the ways and means committee, it was but just, right and proper that their goods should be served wherever the committee say. It is preposterous to think that the companies making an exhibit here would donate their goods to a private restaurant. Our houses made the donations, believing that it would be a good way of advertising their goods and at the same time be of benefit to the women's department of the exposition. I understand that Edmondson has brought suit against some of the exhibitors who have withdrawn their donations from the Creole kitchen, but if he has it is simply a strike at the ways and means committee. He cannot possibly have any recourse whatever upon us. Our goods, as I have stated, are donated to the ways and means committee and are subject to their orders. The ladies could do nothing less than act as they did. There was one complaint from the people at Mr. Edmondson's management. I do not wish to do any one an injustice, but make this statement in justice to the ways and means committee."

POLICE MEET TODAY.

Their Relief Association Will Elect Officers for the Year.

The Police Relief Association will hold an important meeting this morning. The annual election of officers will take place and several other matters of interest to the officers will be acted on.

The year just coming to an end illustrated the practicality of the association, a large sum of money having been paid to members on account of sickness and deaths in their families. The organization is invaluable to the police, doing a work of benevolence among the members.

Considerable interest centers in the election of a secretary of the association. Three active candidates are in the field—Officers John Abbott, J. H. Lockhart and J. A. Patterson. They have many friends in the department and the outcome of the race cannot be foretold.

The present officers of the association are Captain Manly, president; ex-Sergeant O'Brien, vice president; John Abbott, secretary; Chief Connolly, treasurer.

WHO LET HIM GO?

Chief Connolly Trying to Solve a Problem of State.

Chief Connolly is endeavoring to fix the responsibility for the escape of Tom Martin from the station house two days ago. The negro walked away from the prison in some manner, he being under a penalty of a \$25 fine. The responsibility seems to have narrowed to Officers Parrish and Hart, court bailiff and stockade wagon driver, respectively.

The negro was counted out by Mr. Parrish among a gang to be sent to the stockade. The officer says that the prisoner was turned over to Hart, but the latter says that he never got possession of the darky.

Catarrh can be successfully treated only by purifying the blood, and the one true blood purifier is Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Wednesday Excursions to Florida.

The Southern railway has arranged to sell roundtrip tickets to principal Florida points on Wednesday, December 12, at rates of not more than reasonable rates. These tickets will be good returning within ten days from dates of issue and the rates apply for parties of five or more persons traveling together on one ticket. The rates from Atlanta are as follows: To Jacksonville and return, \$8.40; To Fernandina and return, \$8.40; To Lakeland and return, \$12.50; To Ocala and return, \$9.50; To Orlando and return, \$11.70; To Palatka and return, \$8.50; To Tampa and return, \$12.40; To St. Petersburg and return, \$8.50; To Ormond and return, \$10.70; To Lake Worth and return, \$10.50.

This is a good opportunity to visit Florida at small cost and parties via Southern railway will find that route quick and convenient. For particulars, applying for reservations and tickets apply at the ticket office Southern railway, Kimball house, corner Wall and Pryor streets, opposite Union depot.

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MILLION DOLLAR FIRE.

Nearly \$750,000 Worth of Fine Clothing from a Large Wholesale House Destroyed in the Recent Mammoth Fire at Broadway and Bleeker St., New York.

In consequence of the late New York fire, the stock remaining that was not destroyed, aggregating \$250,000 worth of high-grade winter clothing, has been ordered to be removed to Atlanta, Ga., and the fire insurance companies have arranged to occupy the salesroom building, 14 South Broad street, expressly for this great fire insurance sale. Everyone is requested to take notice that this general sale of men's heavy outer clothing commences Saturday, December 14th, at 10 o'clock in the morning, and will last positively ten days in the large salesroom, 14 South Broad street, Atlanta, Ga. Everything will be sold quick at retail for 25 cents on the dollar, and a great cost of manufacture. The stock consists of fine winter clothing for men, boys and children, and the appraisers of the insurance companies, after carefully examining the stock of clothing, concluded that the goods were not so badly damaged as the assured manufacturer claimed, and falling to agree upon actual loss, the appraisers were forced to take the stock and turn it into money at once. Therefore this stock of clothing may be sold quick to make a final settlement. The goods are appraised at 25 cents on the dollar, and this is all we want for them. As the time of this great sale is limited, everything will be sold rapidly. This is the first time a sale of such extraordinary magnitude has taken place in Atlanta, and will never occur again. It will pay you to come 100 miles to buy at this sale and save 75 cents on every dollar spent here. One glance at these bargains will furnish an idea of what can be secured at the great fire insurance sale. Here they are—until Christmas only: 65 cents buys men's pants worth \$2.50; 50 cents buys better pants worth \$2.00; 40 cents buys a pair of all wool dress pants, real value \$7.50; 35 cents buys a suit of men's clothes, only in sacks, all to match. \$3.75 gets you a better suit, made and trimmed well; \$5.15 secures you a fine cassimere suit in sacks and cutaway; \$7.25 buys men's extra fine quality suits, made in the best possible manner; High grade clothing, men's outerwear, to the finest tailor work, in all styles. You can buy your boy a suit for 15 cents, worth four times the money; and a fine coat at \$2.50, worth \$12. A regiment full of youths and boys' overcoats for almost nothing. A full assortment of fall overcoats in silk and satin lined will be sold at this insurance sale for 25 cents. Elegant heavy overcoats, heavy and medium overcoats will be sacrificed for a mere trifle, and many other bargains. Remember, this insurance sale has no connection with any other house in Atlanta. The stock is now being transferred from 14 South Broad street to the new fire insurance sale building, 14 South Broad street, near the corner of Alabama street, Atlanta, Ga. During this fire insurance sale of clothing the salesroom will remain open from 7 in the morning until 9 at night. Everyone is invited to see the goods. By order of the insurance companies, H. COYNE, Auctioneer.

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